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Dear Ms. Goetschius:

This is in response to **your** letter of **June 2**, 1999 regarding premiums for Medicaid beneficiaries under Missouri's **1115** waiver. We believe our letter of May 25, 1999 adequately addresses these issues. However, for clarification purposes, we are requesting a waiver modification to allow the monthly premium for the child/children of a family with an income above 225 and below 300 percent of the federal poverty level to increase from \$65 to \$68. This amendment is necessary to allow over 1,500 children to continue receiving health care coverage under Missouri's MC+ for Kids.

Thank **you** for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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Gregory A. Vadner  
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cc: Judith Flynn ✓